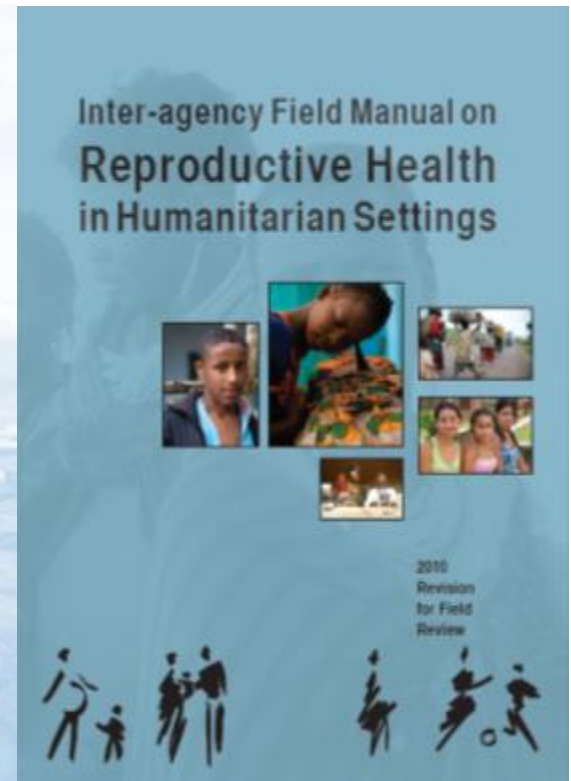
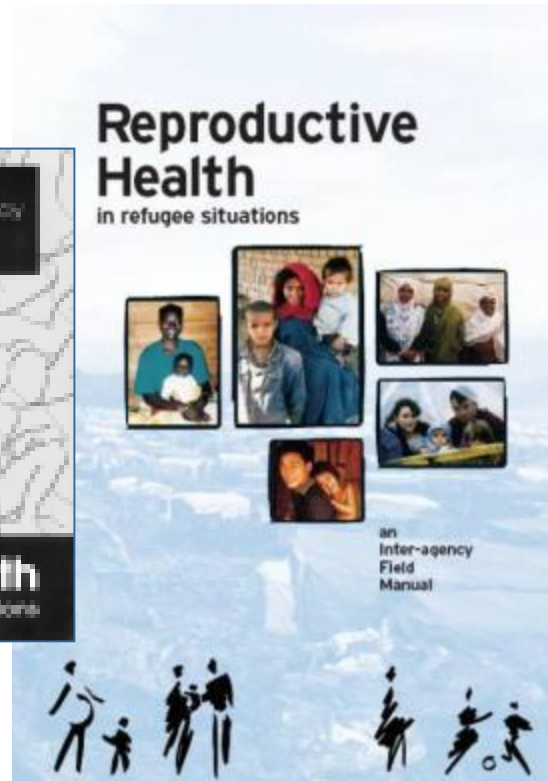




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Field Review Process

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Authoritative guide in humanitarian settings



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Objectives of the field review

- **Facilitate discussion** and **decision-making**
- **Outline a standard set of RH interventions**
- **Coordinate a multi-sectoral approach**
- **Introduce and strengthen evidence-based RH interventions**



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Initial field review process (2011-2015)

Online Survey

- Available in Arabic, English, French and Spanish.
- Circulated through IAWG listserv until the fall of 2015.
- 57 Respondents.

Focus Group Discussions (2011)

- 9 workshops in Bangladesh, Benin and Ethiopia.
- 76 participants from Ministry of Health and NGOs.



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Field review revisited (2015)

Online Survey

- Available in Arabic, English and French.
- Circulated through the IAWG listserv and other networks in fall 2015.
- 86 respondents.

Key Informant Interviews

- 11 operational IAWG Steering Committee agencies contacted for at least one experienced, field-based program staff.
- 13 respondents.

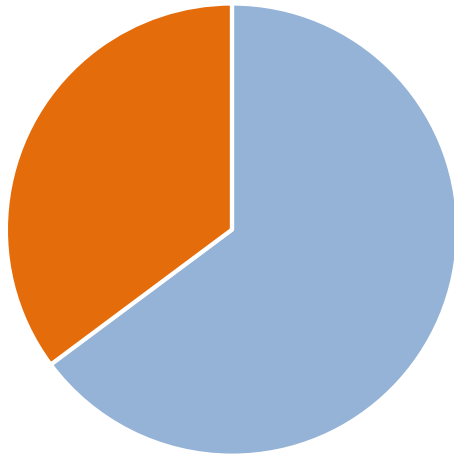


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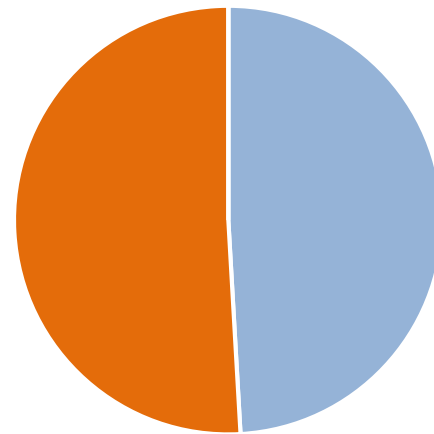
Cumulative quantitative feedback

How applicable is the 2010 Field Manual to your particular context?



■ Very applicable ■ Somewhat applicable

How practical is the 2010 Field Manual to your particular context?



■ Very Practical ■ Somewhat Practical



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Initial qualitative feedback

- Concerns around manual's **lack** of specificity.
- Desire for **simplified** language.
- Expanding the number of
 - **Visual aids**
 - **Diagrams**
 - **Bullet-sized lists**



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Qualitative feedback

- Generate a **condensed version** of the manual.
- Create **online** tools.
- Operationalize **advocacy**.
- Synchronize with **WHO technical updates**.
- Improve the manual's general **esthetic**.
- Add **more case studies** and **good practices**.
- Include **emergency preparedness** and **disaster risk reduction**.



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Qualitative feedback

- **Elevate certain areas of focus**
 - **Family planning**
 - **Safe abortion care**
 - **Adolescent SRH**
- **Address emerging challenges**
 - **Middle-income contexts**
 - **Urban settings**
 - **Protracted crises**
 - **Non-communicable diseases**
 - **Infertility**
 - **Male SRH**



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Process moving forward

- **IAFM Steering Committee Kick-off Meeting:
March 30-31, 2016**
- **IAWG thematic sub-working groups to review chapters to suggest edits/updates.**
 - **Voluntary Contraception Working Group Statement.**



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